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Letter dated 7 July 2011 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to refer to Security Council resolution 1980 (2011) concerning Côte d'Ivoire, adopted on 28 April 2011. By paragraph 13 of the resolution, the Council decided to extend the mandate by the Group of Experts until 30 April 2012 and requested me to take the necessary administrative measures.

Accordingly, I wish to inform you that, after consulting with the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) concerning Côte d'Ivoire, I have appointed the following experts:

Mr. Ilhan Mehmet Berkol, Turkey (Customs/transport)
Ms. Omayra Bermúdez-Lugo, United States of America (diamonds)
Mr. Joel Salek, Colombia (finance)
Mr. Manuel Vazquez-Boidard, Spain (regional).

I should be grateful if you would bring this information to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

(*Signed*) **BAN** Ki-moon

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